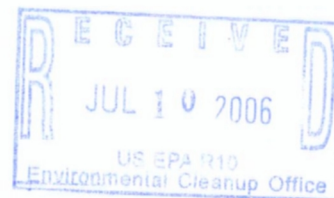


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June 30, 2006

Mr. Neil E. Thompson
US EPA Region X
1200 Sixth Avenue – ECL-113
Seattle, WA 98101

Re: June 2006 Monthly Report

Dear Mr. Thompson:

This letter serves as the monthly progress report for June 2006, in accordance with Section X, Paragraph 29 of the RD/RA Consent Decree for the Tronox site, in Soda Springs, Idaho.

June Activities

The fenced enclosures surrounding the cap and landfill facilities were inspected and are in good condition. The gates are closed and locked. The landfill was pumped to complete dryness on two occasions during June. The 10-acre pond currently contains approximately 16 inches of water, measured at the south end of the pond. Tronox accelerated evaporation within the containment of the 10-acre pond by pumping pond water to the beach areas at the north end of the pond. Evaporation pan data were also collected for assessment.

July/August Activities

During the months of July and August, Tronox will continue monitoring of the cap, landfill and the 10-acre pond. Tronox will measure the water level in the landfill sump in July and August and pump water from the sump to a nearby concrete basin as necessary. Tronox will also continue pumping water within containment of the 10-acre pond to accelerate the reduction in volume and continue to collect pan data. Tronox is currently investigating the suitability of the 10-acre pond water quality to the materials used in the construction of evaporative equipment that is under review.

Results from the May 2006 sampling event that were received in late June will be reviewed, and data appended to the database following data validation. Work will also commence on the annual comprehensive report of ground and surface water quality in July and August following review of the data.

No community relation activities are planned for this period.

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Problems or Delays

No delays are expected.

If you have any questions about the work or additional information is required with regards to the work described above, please contact me at (208) 547-3331, extension 230.

Sincerely,
Tronox Inc.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Boyd Schvaneveldt", with a long, sweeping horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Boyd Schvaneveldt
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